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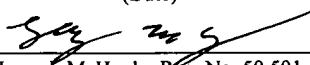
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Braig et al.
App. No. : 10/826,004
Filed : April 15, 2004
For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
MANAGING A CHRONIC
MEDICAL CONDITION
Group Art Unit : 3736

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

**Commissioner for Patents
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ATTENTION: MAIL STOP MISSING PARTS

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(f), which was mailed by the Office on June 28, 2004, enclosed are:

- (X) An executed Declaration by Inventor(s).
- (X) A Power of Attorney and copy of Assignment.
- (X) An extension of time to respond for 1 month is hereby requested.

Time Extension Fee:

(X) one month (\$55 small entity)

(X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

(X) A Notice to File Missing Parts.

(X) Six (6) pages of Replacement Sheet Drawings.

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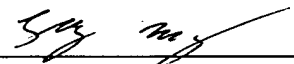
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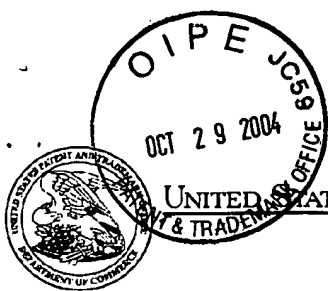
- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 with 56 references.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.
- (X) Fees as calculated below:

FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (LARGE ENTITY)	1 months	\$ 110
SURCHARGE 37 CFR 1.16(e)		\$ + 130
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS		\$ 240
REDUCTION BY ½ FOR FILING BY SMALL ENTITY.		
Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28. If applicable, verified statement must be attached.		
		\$ - 120
TOTAL FEES SUBMITTED HEREWITH		\$ 120

- (X) A check in the amount of \$120 to cover the above fees is enclosed.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, now or in the future, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 1,2,4.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

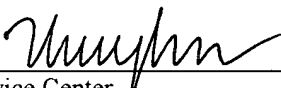
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Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity

- **\$65** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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